

## STATE of MINNESOTA

## Proclamation

WHEREAS:

Young people are Minnesota's most valuable resource — they are critical to the

future of our state; and

WHEREAS:

Education should foster the development of young minds, leadership, creativity,

academic abilities, and artistic talents; and

WHEREAS:

The State of Minnesota and its education system play a key role in nurturing our

remarkable human resources; and

WHEREAS:

Minnesota is blessed with tens of thousands of gifted and talented children,

whose full potential can only be tapped through the farsighted cooperation of

educators, families, communities, and government; and

WHEREAS:

Maximum development of each individual's intellectual and creative powers

ensures the challenges of the future can be met.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARK DAYTON, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of November 2-8, 2014, as:

## GIFTED AND TALENTED YOUTH WEEK

in the State of Minnesota.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol this 13<sup>th</sup> day of August.

GOVERNOR

SECRETARY OF STATE